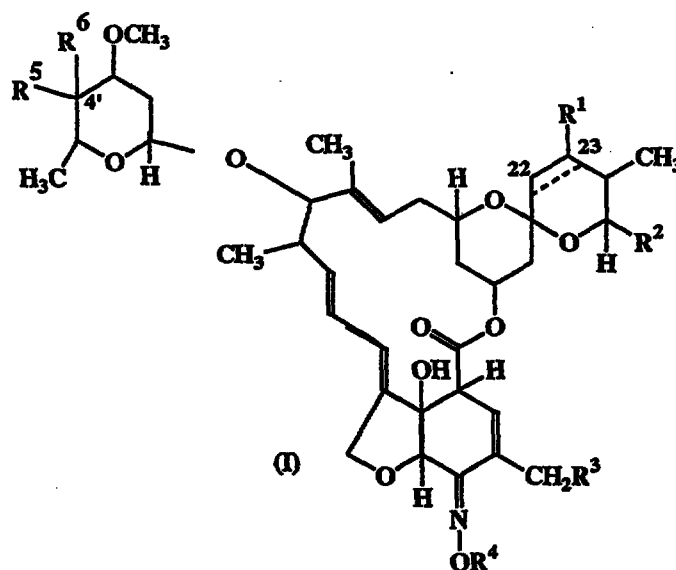


ABSTRACT

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Antiparasitic compounds of formula (I):



wherein the broken line at the 22-23 position represents an optional bond and either this bond is present and R^1 is absent or this bond is absent and R^1 is H, OH, oxo or oximino optionally substituted by C_1-C_8 alkyl group, R^2 is C_1-C_8 alkyl, C_2-C_8 alkenyl or C_3-C_8 cycloalkyl group, or a 3- to 6- membered heterocyclic ring containing a sulphur or oxygen atom, said ring being saturated or fully or partially unsaturated and optionally substituted by one or more C_1-C_4 alkyl groups or halogen atoms, R^3 is H or OH, and R^4 is H or a group capable of being hydrolysed in vivo to yield a compound in which R^4 is H, R^5 is OH, optionally substituted with a group capable of being hydrolysed in vivo to yield a compound in which R^5 is OH, and R^6 is H or C_1-C_4 alkyl or R^6 is H and R^5 is amino, optionally substituted with at least one group selected from C_1-C_8 alkyl and acyl groups.

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